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CAREER FAIR SET TO MATCH STUDENTS WITH EMPLOYERS

MISSOULA —

University of Montana students will have a chance to meet with recruiters from local, regional, national and international employers at the 18th Annual Big Sky Career Fair.

The fair will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 28, in the University Center Ballroom.

The event, hosted by UM's Office of Career Services, is free to UM students and alumni.

The career fair offers students in all academic disciplines opportunities to get information about professional full-time positions, summer internships, part-time employment and summer jobs.

A series of free workshops to help students prepare for the career fair will be held from 4 to 8:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 27, in University Center Rooms 330-333. Sessions cover topics such as making the most of career fairs, evaluating a job offer, and tips and techniques for interviews.

Students are encouraged to attend this event, which will include time for socializing. Light refreshments will be served.

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More than 90 recruiters have registered to attend this year's career fair. Most recruiters will stay the following day to interview students and alumni for open positions within their organizations.

Employers can register online at <http://www.umn.edu/career/fairs.htm> or by calling the Office of Career Services at 406-243-6150. A schedule of career fair events and a list of companies that will be represented also is available on the Web site.

Students can get information about recruiters on campus this semester through Griz eRecruiting accounts. To activate a free account, call the Office of Career Services at 406-243-2022.

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